

City of Martinsville



The Grapevine



DON'T FORGET: UNITED WAY HOT DOG LUNCH AT THE FIRE DEPARTMENT—FRIDAY, NOV. 9th

City Of Martinsville "Shared Vision"
 – As faithful stewards of the public trust, we will create, in partnership with the citizens of Martinsville and the surrounding region, a strong, innovative, and unified community where every citizen may have the opportunity to become self-sufficient with satisfaction, pride and a high quality of life. "A City without Limits"

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

MARSHALL THOMAS	2
JAMES MARTIN	2
MIKE ROGERS	3
TAMMY DAVIS	4
PATRICK AGEE	4
MARK GILBERT	5
JUSTIN TAYLOR	6
MARCUS CLARK	8
HOMER DAVIS	11
SANDRA GENTRY	11
CHARLES ANDERSON	13
HARVEY YORK	16
JASON HAIRFIELD	17
RUTH EASLEY	18
RICHARD YOUNG	22
CHRIS MORRIS	22
ELWOOD BRYANT	22
MELISSA HALL	23
CLYDE JONES	24
CALVIN CABINESS	24
RHONDA GREGORY	26
DWAYNE ROBERTSON	27
GREG JOHNSTON	28
KRYSTAL DAVIS	29

1st Annual Tour de "Ville" Bicycle Ride for United Way

The first bicycle ride for United Way was held on Saturday, October 13th and we would like to say a big "Thank You" to the Police Department specifically Rob Fincher and B shift and Coretha Gravely for providing excellent traffic control. Also, many thanks to Steve Cannaday for picking up ACTIVATE's bicycles and driving along the bike route. Most of all, thanks to the riders that spent part of their Saturday morning participating in this fundraiser. Departments represented were Public Works, Parks & Recreation, Police, City Manager and Finance.

Congratulations to the following riders: 1st place – Donn Shumate, 2nd place- Andy Lash, and 3rd place – Cliff Bryant.



Pictured left to right: Lewis Shively, Leon Towarnicki, Donn Shumate, Virginia Lash, Andy Lash, Cliff Bryant, Lane Shively, Mary Kay Washington, Betsy Pace.

Daylight Savings Time ends November 4th— Set your clock back 1 hour

Christmas Club sign-up begins in November. HR will be at the Shop on November 1st. And then begin signing up all other departments on November 2nd. Stop by HR to sign-up. You will need 2 IDs: drivers license and social security card.



Service Milestones Reached in November

Bobby Setliff	Electric	35 years
Cynthia Barbour	Registrar	25 years
Edward Gauldin	Waste Water Plant	10 years
Mark LaPrade	Fire	5 years
Bradley Barker	Sheriff	5 years
Laura Lawson	Utility Billing	5 years



In Uptown now offers weekly specials for City employees and discounts to Police & Fire.

Total Calls Taken In The Month Of February

☎ Police – 2095 ☎ Fire – 21 ☎ EMS – 199



Congratulations to Tony Beal for being recognized by the Martinsville Exchange Club as Firefighter of the Year.

Pictured left to right: Amy Beal, Tony Beal and Ted Anderson.

DON EDMONDS, FORMER CITY MANAGER RETURNS FOR A VISIT



The Martinsville City Council on Tuesday, October 10th accepted a framed pencil sketch of Christ Episcopal Church on East Church Street done by former city manager Don Edmonds. Edmonds (second from left) is shown above with Mayor Kim Adkins (from left), Councilman Danny Turner, City Director of Human Resources Donna O'Dell, Councilman Kimble Reynolds, Councilman Mark Stroud and Councilman Gene Teague during the council meeting at City Hall.

Mr. Edmonds was city manager from 1980-1985.

November Specials at Hugo's

*Veteran's Day Special—All Military & Law Enforcement personnel with proper ID
All menu prices—1/2 price (November 12, 2012) Dine-in only

**Thanksgiving Special—Dinner provided free to all City Public Safety Personnel, who are on duty Thanksgiving Day

***Starting November 1, 2012

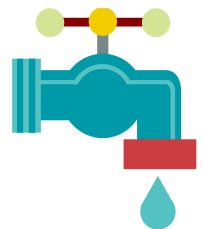
With the donation of a new, unwrapped toy (\$5.00 and up) customer will be entered into a drawing for a \$25.00 Hugo's gift certificate to be given away on December 1, 2012. All toys collected go to Toys for Tots campaign

Friday, November 2nd: ELVIS TRIBUTE 7-9PM. Starring Ronnie Nichols, formerly of Martinsville. He has been performing as Elvis since he was 13 years old. DINNER, DESSERT & THE SHOW: \$15.00 in Advance \$20.00 at the door. Call 632-3663 for info.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Water Purification Plant was presented an Excellence in Water Treatment Plant Performance Award for 2011 at this year's Southeast Rural Community Assistance Project Water is Life conference in Roanoke.

Wilbur Preston accepted the award.



Congratulations to Cody Anderson (son of Charles Anderson) for receiving the William Slate Scholarship.



Condolences go out to Otha Taylor (Retiree) in the death of his mother Mary Taylor on October 1st...and to Esther Artis (MIS) in the death her aunt Clara Hairston McKenzie on September 29th...and to Roy Donovan (Public Works) in the death of his mother-in-law Pauline Radford on October 9th.....

Each month this year, one employee could win a \$25 Kroger gift card.

The winner for October is
Ronnie Gammons (Public Works)



Congratulations to Larry Williams on the birth of his granddaughter Madison Lynn Hankins on September 27th, she weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce And to Bill Hooper on the birth of his granddaughter, Maitland Louise Allen on October 12th, she weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces, she is the daughter of Melissa and Joe Allen. Melissa is a former Fire & EMS volunteer.